GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:7233
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NATIONAL WATER SPORTS INSTITUTE
JASKAUR MEENA

Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to set up National Water Sports Institute;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the salient features of the institute; and

(d) the time by which it is likely to be set up?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS (SHRI PON. RADHAKIRISHNAN)

(a) to (c): No, Sir. At present, there is no proposal under consideration to establish a National Water Sports Institute.However, Sports Authority of India (SAI) has Water Sports Centres for scouting talent and providing training to talented youngsters in various water sports. SAI Water Sports Centres are located at the following places:

1. Jagatpur (Orissa)

2. Alleppey (Kerala)

3. Port Blair (A&N Island)

4. Bhopal (M.P)

5. Kirkee, Pune (Maharashtra)
6. Roorkee (UP)

(d) Does not arise.